

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In Re Application of:	)
Rice et al.	) Art Unit 2397
	) Examiner: C. Kim
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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

The present amendment is being filed concurrently with the enclosed continuation application. Please amend the application as set forth below before examination of the application.